

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Silver, Gary M.  
Wisnewski, Nancy  
Brandt, Kevin S.

Serial No.: 10/678,521

Filed: October 2, 2003

Atty. File No.: FC-1-C1-PUS-1

For: "NOVEL CARBOXYLESTERASE  
NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES,  
PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF"

) Group Art Unit: 1652  
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) Examiner: Hutson, Richard  
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) REQUEST FOR  
) EXTENSION OF TIME  
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CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS  
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EFS, ADDRESSED TO MAIL STOP AMENDMENT,  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, THIS 12 DAY OF  
DECEMBER 2007.

HESKA CORPORATION  
By: Susan Gordon  
Susan Gordon

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action having a mailing date of August 27, 2007, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from November 27, 2007 to December 27, 2007.

Applicants claim small entity and authorize the one-month extension fee of \$60 to be charged to Deposit Account 081930. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 081930.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 12, 2007

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